



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re:

Applicant: Shie-Ming Hwang Atty. Docket No.: 1224-005
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Entitled: COMPOSITION FOR INHIBITION OF *H. INFLUENZAE* AND
TREATMENT OF OTITIS MEDIA AND SORE THROAT

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This communication is in response to an Office Action mailed on January 14, 2004. A shortened statutory period for reply was set three months from the mailing date of the Office Action. Filed contemporaneously herewith, is a Petition for A Three Month Extension of Time which would make the date for response July 14, 2004. Upon the granting of the Petition, it is believed that this response is timely filed.

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